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MACHINE WITH INSPECTION  
APERTURE

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated December 18, 2007, please amend  
the above-identified application as follows: